EAGLE MOUNTAIN CITY CITY COUNCIL MEETING JANUARY 20, 2015			
TITLE:	RESOLUTION – Consideration of a Resolution of Eagle Mountain City, Utah, Encouraging the State of Utah to Address Comprehensive Transportation Funding.		
FISCAL IMPACT:	N/A		
APPLICANT:	Eagle Mountain City		
GENERAL PLAN DESIGNATION	CURRENT ZONE	ACREAGE	COMMUNITY
N/A	N/A	N/A	City-wide

NOTICES:

- -Posted in 2 public places
- -Posted on City webpage
- -Notice to newspapers

REQUIRED FINDINGS:

Public Works Board Recommendation

Vote: N/A

Prepared By: Fionnuala B. Kofoed

NOTES/COMMENTS:

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the City Council adopts a resolution of Eagle Mountain City, Utah, Encouraging the State of Utah to Address Comprehensive Transportation Funding.

BACKGROUND:

The League of Cities and Towns has requested member cities and towns adopt a resolution that encourages the State of Utah to address comprehensive transportation funding. Utah's population is expected to grow by 1 million residents by 2040 and there is a need to develop transportation options to include bike lanes, multi-use paths, off-road trails and transit in addition to roads. Comprehensive transportation will reduce private vehicle use which will improve air quality and in investing trails, bike lanes, sidewalks and multi-use paths will improve personal and community health. A transportation funding option would allow for a statewide implementation of a quarter cent (\$0.0025) local options sales tax to be used for transportation to satisfy current and future transportation needs.

Ken Bullock and Cameron Diehl from the League of Cities and Towns will be present at the work session to answer any questions relating to the resolution.